

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PATENT APPLICATION EXAMINING OPERATIONS**

Appl. No. : 09/742,785 Confirmation No. 8464
Applicant : Curatolo et al.
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Title : Pharmaceutical Compositions Providing Enhanced Drug Concentrations

TC/A.U. : 1618

Examiner : Fubara, Blessing M.

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AMENDMENT

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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 9, 2010, amend the claims as noted herein and please consider the Nightingale Declaration filed herewith, as well as the following Remarks/Argument. An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith. A Petition for a one-month extension is also filed herewith, so this Response is timely.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Argument begin on page 4 of this paper.